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PATENT APPLICATION
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	Michael E. Brown et al.
Serial No.:	09/961,218
Date Filed:	September 21, 2001
Group Art Unit:	2145
Examiner:	Bhatia, Ajay M.
Title:	SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR NAMING HOSTS IN A DISTRIBUTED DATA PROCESSING SYSTEM

MAIL STOP – AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Office Action mailed April 14, 2006, Applicants respectfully submit the following amendments set forth below and request favorable action thereon.

Amendments to Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

A petition extending the period for response is filed herewith.